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AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.113

Dear Sir:

This Request for Reconsideration is in response to the Final Office action of August 11, 2008. Please reconsider the above-identified application in view of the following:

Amendments to the Claims, which begin on page 2 of this paper; and

Remarks/Arguments, which begin on page 5 of this paper.